Pazhanji is compelling parties before registration to insert a term in all kanom demises that there shall be a grant of renewal on the expiry of 12 years from the date of the demise;

(b) if so, in how many documents has he done so;

(c) and under what section of the Regulation is this enforced;

(2) who is to decide whether any demise presented for registration is affected by chapters III and IV of Regulation II of 1090;

(3) are there any circulars issued about the registration of kanom demises under section 27 of the Tenancy Regulation, by the Government or the Superintendent of Registration; if so, what are they?

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—(1) (a) The Registrar is only advising the parties to insert such a term in demises coming under section 20 of the Tenancy Regulation.

(b) The information is not available.

(c) Under section 27 of the Tenancy Regulation, II of 1090, as amended by Regulation IV of 1091.

(2) For purposes of registration the Registrar is to decide from the wording of documents.

(3) There are no circulars on the particular point.

**Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—May I know whether there is a section which says that there should be a renewal after 12 years ?

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—The amendment points out that these two points of section 27 should be noted in the documents, that is, the renewal fee and the customary dues and also the occasions on which they should be levied.

**Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—There is no necessity that there should be a grant of renewal.

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—There is no necessity.

**Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—Why should these Registrars give this advice and in some cases force parties ?

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—So far as the Government know, the Registrars are not doing that. If there is any specific instance, and if the Member points it out, Government shall take action.

**Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—Will the Government be pleased to issue a circular to the effect that such terms shall not be inserted ? I shall give specific instances.

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—A circular was issued before the amendment was passed. The amendment did away with the circular, impliedly at any rate.

**Grant of scholarships for studies outside the State.**

**297. Mr. K. T. Mathew.**— Will the Government be pleased to state;—

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(a) the number of scholarships given by the Government to continue studies outside the State in the last 7 years, giving particulars of the scholarships given, the period of scholarship and the amount spent or sanctioned with reference to each of snch scholarships;

(b) whether the granting of such scholarships was published in the Gazette; and if not,

(c) what was the test applied in selecting the candidate for each of the above scholarships;

(d) of the candidates selected for the above scholarships, how many were (1) caste-Hindus, (2) non-caste Hindus, (3) Christians, (4) Jews and (5) Muslims?

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—(a) and (b). 42. Vide list appended. (*Appendix II.*)

(c) The scholarships in the Education Department are granted according to the rules in the C. E. C. In regard to the other scholarships the best qualified candidates were selected.

(d) (1) Twenty-four.
(2) Seven.
(3) Six.
(4) Nil.
(5) Five.

298. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) what are the scholarships given or to be given in 1929 for studies outside Cochin State;

(b) what test has been or will be applied in granting these scholarships;

(c) whether the Government have called for or will call for applications from candidates desiring to have the above scholarships; and if not, why not?

**Rama Varmha Tampuran.**—(a) In the Education Department, the scholarships tenable for studies outside the State are contained in the *Cochin Education Code*. In the Forest Department there are two scholarships to be given in 1929 for studies in Forestry in Dehra Dun.

(b) The grant of scholarships in the Education Department is regulated by the Rules in the *Code*. For scholarship in Forestry, candidates who have passed the B. A. degree examination with Botany and Zoology as optional subjects and who possess good physique and moral character are selected. (For further details P. V. Gazette Notification, dated 8th Karkadagam 1104, p. 279, Part II, Forest Department.)

(c) Applications are invited.

299. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to inform:—

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(a) (i) whether they have not perused the editorial note published in the "Sathianadam" of 8th June 1929, about the proposal to grant some scholarships; and (ii) if they have not perused it, will they peruse it and state:—

(b) whether the Government have decided or had any correspondence regarding the granting of scholarships referred to therein, and if the Government have decided to give any such scholarships, whether the fact will be published in the Gazette and call for applications from suitable candidates; and if not, why not;

(c) whether the Government have received applications for the scholarships referred to in the article; and if so,

(d) who are the applicants?

**Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.**—(a) 1. Yes. 2. No reply is necessary in view of answer to (a) 1.

(b) Government contemplate to grant 2 scholarships for training in Forestry at Dehra Dun and a notification inviting applications for the same has been published in the Gazette.

(c) Yes.

(d) A copy of the list of applications so far received is placed on the Council Table.

## Reservation of seats in the Engineering and Medical Colleges.

**300. Mr. C. J. Mathew.**—Will the Government kindly state:—

(a) whether they have done anything so far to reserve a certain number of seats in the Medical and Engineering Colleges at Madras for the benefit of students going from Cochin;

(b) whether it is the policy of the State to encourage Medical and Engineering studies among the students of Cochin; and if so, what they have done to secure admission to Cochin students in Colleges of Medicine and Engineering elsewhere?

**Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.**—(a) The Director of Public Instruction interviewed the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, recently, and he has assured him that due consideration would be given to the claims of Cochin students as in the past, though it would not be possible to reserve seats.

(b) Yes, vide also answer to part (a).

## Admission into the Medical and Engineering Colleges at Madras.

**301. Mr. C. J. Mathew.**—Are the Government aware:—

(a) that there has been of late considerable difficulty for students from Cochin to obtain admission into the Engineering College, Guindy, and into the Madras Medical College;

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## APPENDIX II.

*(Vide answer to Question No. 297.)*

List of scholarships awarded for studies outside the State for the last seven years.

| Name of department | No. of scholarship | Particulars of the scholarship | Period | Amount sanctioned | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Education | 1 | Senior University Scholarship Literary | 3 years from 29—6—22 | Rs 20 per mensem | The grant of these scholarships are subject to the rules in the C. E. C. and these were published in the Gazette after they were awarded. |
| do | 1 | Senior University Scholarship for Backward classes | 3 years from 10—7—22 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for women | 2 years from 10—7—22 | ,, 15 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do | 2 years from 10—7—22 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Lady Willingdon Scholarship for women | 2 years from 10—7—22 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University Scholarship Literary | 3 years from 3—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for Backward classes | 2 years from 2—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for Muslims | 2 years from 2—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Aligarh University Scholarship | 4 years from 23—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University Scholarship for women | 2 years from 2—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Lady Willingdon Scholarship for women | From 2—7—23 to April, 1927 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Industrial Scholarship | 4 years from 13—7—23 | ,, 30 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University Scholarship for women | 2 years from 17—7—23 | ,, 20 ,, | |

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| Name of department | No. of scholarship | Particulars of the scholarship | Period | Amount sanctioned | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Education | 1 | Senior University scholarship for Men Literary | 3 years from 7— 7—24 | Rs. 20 per mensem | |
| do | 1 | do for Backward classes | 3 years from 5— 7—24 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for Muslims | 3 years from 9— 7—24 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for women | 3 years from 9— 7—24 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Lady Willingdon scholarship for women | 2 years from 5— 7—24 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Special Industrial scholarship | 2 years from 1— 7—24 | ,, 15 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University scholarship | 3 years from 27— 6—25 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for Backward classes | 3 years from 6— 7—25 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for Muslims | 1 year from 16— 6—25 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Lady Willingdon scholarship for women | 2 years from 6— 7—25 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University scholarship for Literary | 3 years from 22— 6—26 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Lady Willingdon scholarship for women | 2 years from 8— 7—26 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Special scholarship for Engineering | 2 years from 22—11—1101 | ,, 30 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior Univerity scholarship—Literary | 3 years from 23— 6—27 | ,, 20 ,, | |

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| Name of department | No. of scholarship | Particulars of the scholarship | Period | Amount sanctioned | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Education | 1 | Aligarh University scholarship for Muslims | 4 years from 28—10—27 | Rs. 30 per mensem | |
| do | 1 | Senior University scholarship for women | 3 years from 6— 7—27 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | Senior University scholarship Literary for Men | 3 years from 1— 7—28 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| do | 1 | do for women | 3 years from 27— 6—28 | ,, 20 ,, | |
| Agriculture | 4 | Agricultural Scholarship | 3 for 3 years and one for one year | 3 on Rs. 35 each and one on Rs. 40 per mensem | These were published in the Gazette |
| Medical | 3 | L. M. P. Course | 4 years | Rs. 30 each per mensem | |
| do | 1 | Apothecary Grade | do | Rs. 35 ,, | do |
| do | 1 | M. B. B. S. Course | 5 years | ,, 50 ,, | |
| do | 2 | Advanced study in England | 3 years | £ 200 each per year | Not published in the Gazette. For the 1st Scholarship there was only one applicant and for the 2nd Government selected one. |